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For: A METHOD FOR THE

CHARACTERISATION ON NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES INVOLVING GENERATION OF EXTENDIBLE UPSTREAM DNA FRAGMENTS RESULTING FROM THE CLEAVAGE

OF NUCLEIC ACID AT AN ABASIC...

LETTER SUBMITTING CORRECTED DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the USPTO Notice Regarding Drawings dated October 24, 2006 attached to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due Form PTOL-85, attached hereto are 7 (seven) sheets of corrected drawings.

Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding 7 (seven) sheets of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

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Attachment(s) 7 Sheets of Replacement Drawings